GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA

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DEVELOPMENT OF CHITRAKOOT
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has formulated to frame any scheme for the development of famous and religious places which falls under two States jointly such as Chitrakoot;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be done;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the names of the new schemes implemented by the Government to promote tourism at such places?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) to (d): With a view to beautify and improve the amenities and infrastructure at pilgrimage centres of all faiths, a National Mission on Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual Augmentation Drive (PRASAD) has been announced in the Union Budget 2014-15 and an amount of Rs.100.00 crore has been provided for this initiative.

The Ministry of Tourism is formulating the Scheme guidelines for this National Mission.